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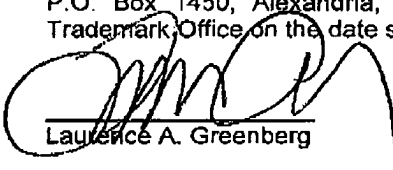
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Application No.	:	10/624,954	Confirmation No. 6281
Filing Date	:	July 22, 2003	
Applicant	:	Steffen Derhardt	
Title	:	Device for Throwing-On Impression and Throwing-Off Impression in a Printing Press and Printing Press Having the Device	
TC/AU	:	2854	
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PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Mail Stop No-Fee Amendment
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Sir:

Responsive to the final Office action dated September 21, 2007, and preliminary to examination after filing an RCE, kindly amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims, which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 6 of this paper.